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[XX] TWENTY-TWO (22) sheet(s) of specification.

[XX] TWENTY-SIX (26) claim(s).

[XX] ONE (1) sheet(s) of Abstract.

[XX] THREE (3) sheet(s) of formal drawings.

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[] A verified statement(s) to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and/or 1.27 is enclosed.

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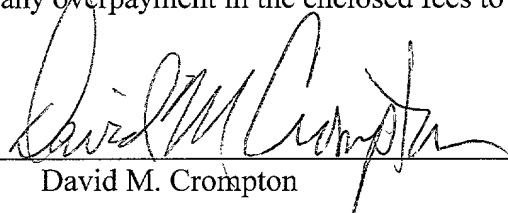
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